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UNITED STATES INTELLIGENCE BOARD

MEMORANDUM FOR THE UNITED STATES INTELLIGENCE BOARD

SUBJECT

: COMIREX Report on High-Altitude Photographic

Coverage of Cuba, 30 September - 24 November

1968

REFERENCE

: USIB-D-41.14/305, (COMOR-D-24/203), 10 January 1967, Limited Distribution

- 1. Attached is the Committee on Imagery Requirements and Exploitation (COMIREX) report on high-altitude photographic coverage of Cuba for the period 30 September 24 November 1968, which is circulated for the information of the United States Intelligence Board (USIB).
- 2. COMIREX advises that the USIB requirement for 90% area coverage and for target category sampling over this 56-day period was fulfilled. Also during this period no activity was observed indicating reintroduction or deployment of offensive weapon systems in Cuba.
- 3. It is not planned to schedule this report on the USIB agenda for discussion unless specifically requested by a Board Member to do so prior to close of business on 6 December. In the absence of such a request, it will be considered for record purposes that USIB "noted" the subject report on that date.

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- 1. The current USIB requirement for GLASS LAMP coverage of Cuba calls for a report on the percentage of area coverage and the achievement against the requirement for target category sampling over a 56-day period. The attached tables show the number of missions flown and the percentage of success against the area coverage requirement as well as the target sampling average for a two week period. The current report is for the period 30 September 24 November 1968.
- 2. During this period no activity was observed which might indicate an attempt to reintroduce or deploy offensive weapon systems in Cuba.
- 3. The USIB requirement was fulfilled and it is recommended that the Board note this report.

Chairman
Committee on Imagery Requirements
and Exploitation

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TABLE I

Area Coverage. Goal: about 90% of the territory every 56 days.

30 September None

1 - 31 October Successful missions flown 1, 4, 11, 23, 30 October

1 - 24 November Successful missions flown 1, 7, 18 November

Cumulative coverage achieved: 97%

TABLE II

Target Coverage. Goal: a. Sampling in each category every two weeks.

b. Reasonably complete coverage of all targets every 56 days

	Targets	Two Week Sampling Average	Total Targets Covered in Period	
Missiles				
SAM Associated Installations	36	25	36	100%
Other Missile-assoc. Install.	7	3	7	100%
Airfields	15	8	14	93%
Port Facilities	12	. 7	11	91%
Radar/Electronic Facilities	22	13	21	95%
Military	<u>72</u>	35	69	96%
	164		158	96%